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SUBJECT: KOREAN QUESTION IN THE UN

1. NEW ZEALAND EMBASSY COUNSELOR POWLES CALLED ON KOREAN
COUNTRY DIRECTOR MARCH 27 TO DISCUSS KOREAN SITUATION.

2. IN COURSE DISCUSSION POWLES FOCUSSED PARTICULARLY ON KOREAN
QUESTION AT UN AND GNZ CONCERN OVER NEXT UNGA. POWLES SAID
GNZ DOES BELIEVE THAT FURTHER STEPS TOWARDS DEMONSTRATING READ-
INESS TO TERMINATE UNC ARE NECESSARY IF WE ARE TO MAINTAIN OUR
POSITION AT NEXT UNGA.

3. IN THAT CONTEXT POWLES SAID THAT NZ MISSION IN NEW YORK
HAD SUGGESTED VARIOUS POSSIBILITIES, INCLUDING SECURITY COUNCIL
MEETING AND INITIATIVES INVOLVING UNC SUCH AS ANNOUNCEMENT
BY USG AND ROKG OF READINESS TO SIGN THE ARMISTICE AGREEMENT UPON
UNC TERMINATION. POWLES ALSO SAID THAT NZ IS HOPEFUL THAT USG
WILL BE READY TO HAVE EARLY CONSULTATIONS WITH ITS ALLIES.

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4. POWLES STRESSED THAT HIS APPROACH WAS NOT MADE UNDER
FORMAL INSTRUCTIONS BUT DID REFLECT INFORMAL NZ VIEWS WHICH
HAD BEEN EARLIER CONVEYED TO ROKG.
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